

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF 30-DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD CLIFTON SOIL PROGRAM VOLUNTARY REMEDIATION PROGRAM (VRP) SITE PROBABILISTIC RISK ASSESSMENT

The Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) Voluntary Remediation Program (VRP) has received a Probabilistic Risk Assessment (PRA) for the Clifton Soil Program (VRP Site Code 513293-00) VRP site located in the Town of Clifton, Arizona. The PRA was submitted in accordance with Arizona Revised Statutes §§ 49-175 and 49-176.

Proposed remedial activities at the Clifton Soil Program VRP site will consist of soil testing and remediation on eligible residential and commercial properties located in proximity to three former historic smelters located within the Town of Clifton. The PRA uses proven methodologies and parameters commonly accepted by the scientific community to establish site-specific soil remediation levels for the contaminants of concern, which include arsenic, copper, and lead.

The PRA is available for review online at: http://www.azdeq.gov/notices, and at the ADEQ Records Center, 1110 W. Washington St., Phoenix. Please call the Records Center at (602) 771-4380 to arrange for an appointment or email recordscenter@azdeq.gov.

PARTIES WISHING TO SUBMIT WRITTEN COMMENTS regarding the PRA for the Clifton Soil Program VRP Site may do so to Freeport Minerals Corporation, Jennifer Laggan, 333 N. Central Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85004, or jlaggan@fmi.com. Comments may also be submitted to ADEQ, attention: John Patricki, VRP, 1110 W. Washington St., Phoenix, AZ 85007, or Patricki.john@azdeq.gov and reference this listing. Comments must be postmarked to Freeport and/or ADEQ no later than March 12, 2021.

ADEQ will take reasonable measures to provide access to department services to individuals with limited ability to speak, write or understand English and/or to those with disabilities. Requests for language translation, ASL interpretation, CART captioning services or disability accommodations must be made at least 48 hours in advance by contacting the Title VI Nondiscrimination Coordinator at 602-771-2215 or Communications@azdeq.gov. For a TTY or other device, Telecommunications Relay Services are available by calling 711.

ADEQ tomará las medidas razonables para proveer acceso a los servicios del departamento a personas con capacidad limitada para hablar, escribir o entender inglés y/o para personas con discapacidades. Las solicitudes de servicios de traducción de idiomas, interpretación ASL (lengua de signos americano), subtitulado de CART, o adaptaciones por discapacidad deben realizarse con al menos 48 horas de anticipación comunicándose con el Coordinador de Anti-Discriminación del Título VI al 602-771-2215 o Communications@azdeq.gov. Para un TTY u otro dispositivo, los servicios de retransmisión de telecomunicaciones están disponible llamando al 711.